

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit: 2168 :

Examiner: Greta Lee Robinson : METHODS AND SYSTEMS

FOR AUTOMATED DATA

COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS FOR USE IN ASSOCIATION WITH

ASSET SECURITIZATION

In re Application of: Donald P. Coleman

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Serial No. 09/998,152

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Filed: November 30, 2001

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

March 12, 2008

Commissioner for Patents Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 12, 2007, with the three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on March 12, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and/or remarks. Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendment be entered because it places the application in condition for allowance.

With regard to the captioned patent application, Applicant submits the present response, in which:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 3.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 16; and

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Amendments to the drawings begin on page 29.

Remarks begin on page 30.